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IN REPLY REFER TO  
ACQ 021  
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**MEMORANDUM FOR NAVFAC ACQUISITION PERSONNEL**

Subj: EXTENSION OF THE DOD - SBA 8(a) MEMORANDUM OF  
UNDERSTANDING (02-04)

Encl: (1) Amendment 3 to Memorandum of Understanding between the SBA  
and DoD

1. Enclosure (1) is forwarded for your information and immediate implementation as appropriate. SBA and DoD recently extended the Memorandum of Agreement for the 8(a) Program through March 31, 2002 or until the time the Partnership Agreement is executed and incorporated into the DFARS. Military Departments and Defense Agencies have been given authority to continue to award 8(a) prime contracts pursuant to the provisions of DFARS Subpart 219.8. A change to DFARS is being expedited to reflect the new expiration date.

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**MICHAEL F. HOWARD**  
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Amendment 3

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**  
between the  
**U.S. SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**  
and the  
**Department of Defense**

**I. PURPOSE**

This amendment is issued pursuant to the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between your agency and the U.S. Small Business Administration. The purpose of this amendment is to extend the term of the MOU. All other terms and conditions of the MOU remain unchanged.

**II. TERM.**

The expiration date is hereby extended until March 31, 2002, or until the Partnership Agreement is accepted by both agencies.

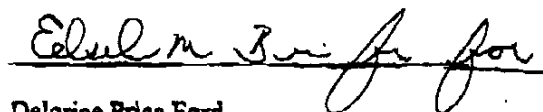
**III. ACCEPTANCE.**

As provided under the authority of the MOU, the undersigned parties hereby accept the terms and conditions of this amendment.



For

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